GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Mines and Geology – Illegal quarrying of Limestone in Konanki Village of Piduguralla Mandal, Kesanupalli and Nadikudi Villages of Dachepalli Mandal, Guntur District – Loss of Revenue to the Government – Investigation of the case entrusted to the CBI – Sri Gopathothi Papa Rao, the then ADM&G Vigilance, Guntur – Departmental Proceedings under Rule -20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal)Rules, 1991 – Articles of charge – issued.

INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE (VIGILANCE) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.28 Date:09.02.2022

Read the following:

1.From the District Collector, Guntur Letter Rc. No.2149/2015-E4, Dt:11.08.2018.
2. G.O. Rt. No.231, Ind. & Com. (Vig) Department, dt:14.08.2018.
3. G.O. Rt. No.233, Ind. & Com. (Vig) Department, dt:14.08.2018.
4. G.O.Ms.No. 111, Home (SC.A) Dept. dt: 12.09.2019.
5.From Superintendent of Police & HoB, CBI, ACB, Visakhapatnam Lr.No.DPVIS2021/159/C1/RC12/2020/CBI/VSP, Dt:11.01.2021.
6. Govt. Memo No.21027/12/2018-VIG, dt:26.03.2021
7. From the SP, CBI, ACB, Visakhapatnam Lr. No.DPVIS2021/3445/C1/RC 12(A)/2020-CBI/VSP, dt.23.11.2021
8. G.O.Rt.No.26, I&C(Vig) Department,dt:09.02.2022

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ORDER:

In continuation of the orders issued under Rule-24 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules 1991 in the reference 8th read above, it is proposed to hold an inquiry against Sri Gopathothi Papa Rao, the then ADM&G Vigilance, Guntur in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule-20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991.

2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in respect of which the inquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of articles of charges and statement of imputations in Annexure I & II. A list of documents by which, and a list of witnesses by whom, the articles of charges are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed in Annexures III & IV.

3. Sri Gopathothi Papa Rao, the then ADM&G Vigilance, Guntur is directed to submit his written statement of defense (WSD) within 10 days from the date of receipt of this order and also to state whether he desires to be heard in person.

4. Sri Gopathothi Papa Rao, the then ADM&G Vigilance, Guntur is informed that an inquiry will be held only in respect of those articles of charges as are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each article of charge.

5. Sri Gopathothi Papa Rao, the then ADM&G Vigilance, Guntur is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defense (WSD) on or before the date specified in para-3 above, further action will be taken based on the material available.

6. Attention of Sri Gopathothi Papa Rao, the then ADM&G Vigilance, Guntur is invited to Rule-24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, under which no Government Servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt within these proceedings it will be presumed that Sri Gopathothi Papa Rao, the then ADM&G Vigilance, Guntur is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation

(P.T.O)

of Rule-24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

7. The receipt of the G.O. may be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

GOPAL KRISHNA DWIVEDI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri Gopathothi Papa Rao, the then ADM&G Vigilance, Guntur through Director of Mines & Geology, Ibrahimpatnam (With request to serve & return served copy to Government)
The Director of Mines & Geology, Ibrahimpatnam, Vijayawada
SF/SC.

//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

K. Roopa
SECTION OFFICER

ANNEXURE-I

Articles of Charge framed against Sri Gopathothi Paparao, the then ADM&G(Vig) & DDM&G, Guntur, Andhra Pradesh

Whereas, it is alleged that Sri Gopathothi Paparao while working ADM&G (Vig.), Guntur, Andhra Pradesh in the capacity of a public servant committed gross misconduct in as much as to:

i. maintain absolute integrity & devotion to duty;
ii. maintain political neutrality;
iii. promote the principles of merit, fairness and impartiality in the discharge of duties;
iv. take decisions solely in public interest and use or cause to use public resources efficiently, effectively and economically;
v. maintain discipline in the discharge of his duties and be liable to implement the lawful orders duly communicated to him;
vi. Perform and discharge his duties with the highest degree of professionalism and dedication to the best of his abilities.

That, Gopathothi Paparao, during the period from August 2015 to August 2018, while posted and working as the then ADM&G (Vig.), Guntur misused his official position. During this period he deliberately did not take any action to stop/control the large scale illegal quarrying of limestone in Konanki (V) of Piduguralla (M) and Nadikudi and Kesanupalli villages of Dachepalli (M), Guntur.

That, Shri G. Papa Rao, the then ADM&G (Vig), & DDMG, Guntur received several complaints for the said illegal quarrying of limestone in Government Land & Patta land from the aggrieved persons. Instead of taking stringent action against the illegal quarrying, he simply turned blind eye and it was allowed to continue without any hindrance.

That, Shri G. Papa Rao, the then ADM&G (Vig), & DDMG, Guntur was well aware of the survey conducted by mining department to assess to illegal quarried quantities of limestone from Konanki, Nadikudi and Kesanupalli. He deliberately did not include and take any action on the quantity to the tune of 2115825.14 MTs found illegally quarried in survey No.709 to 718 and 66/2B of Nadikudi village.

That, Shri G. Papa Rao, the then ADM&G (Vig), & DDMG, Guntur, in compliance of the Collector's proceedings, he being a member of division level team, prepared false inspection reports mentioning that illegal quarrying is done at night hours; it has been stopped now and other teams have been directed to keep close watch on illegal quarrying. He did not conduct and ensure regular inspection to stop illegal quarrying of limestone.

That, Shri G. Papa Rao, the then ADM&G (Vig), & DDMG, Guntur dishonestly did not comply the orders dated.28.03.2016 of Hon'ble High Court of Hyderabad in PIL No.228/2015 to assess the loss caused to the public exchequer through illegal mining / quarrying and see that liability can be fixed and loss of royalty with penalty, if any is recovered from persons, who indulged in the alleged illegal mining.

That, Shri G. Papa Rao, the then ADM&G (Vig), & DDMG, Guntur prepared false Mediatornamas for identifying persons responsible for illegal quarrying at Konanki; he did not include the names of main persons involved and managing the operation of whole illegal quarrying of limestone.

That, the above acts and omissions on the part of Shri G. Papa Rao, the then ADM&G (Vig), & DDMG, Guntur resulted in illegal excavation of limestone from Konanki, Nadikudi and Kesanupalli villages. It has caused wrongful loss of Rs.124,46,41,278 to the Govt. exchequer towards seigniorage fee (Rs.50/- per MT) and loss of market value (Rs.250/- per MT).

By the aforesaid acts of Shri G. Papa Rao, the then ADM&G (Vig), & DDMG, Guntur as public servant has failed to maintain absolute integrity, devotion to duty, politically neutralized and acted in a manner unbecoming a Public Servant and hence committed gross misconduct. Therefore he is liable to be penalized as per the provisions of Rule 9 clause VI to X Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991.

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ANNEXURE-II

Statement of Imputations of Misconduct in support of the Articles of Charge framed against Shri G. Papa Rao, the then ADM&G (Vig), & DDMG, Guntur

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ANNEXURE-III

List of Documents

Sl.No	Particulars
119.	FIR No.RC0362020A00012, dated.26.08.2020
120.	Receipt Memo dated.07.04.2021 for the documents received from Shri T. Raja Sekhar. (01 sheet)
121.	Original letter No.1184/Q/2013, dated.21.01.2015 from Shri M. Sudhakar, DDMG, Guntur to the Director of Mines & Geology, Hyderabad regarding illegal mining in survey Nos.1001 & 1002 of Piduguralla village and Sy. Nos.690, 691 & 692 of Konanki village of Piduguralla Mandal and Sy. Nos.710, 716, 717, & 718 etc of Nadikudi Village of Dachepalli Mandal, Guntur. (06 sheets)
122.	Original letter No.3235/PIL/2015, dated.07.01.2016 from Shri B. Jagannadha Rao, ADMG, Dachepalli to Director of Mines & Geology, Hyderabad regarding factual note on PIL No.228 of 2015 filed by Shri K. Gurvachary along with enclosures (photos).(06 sheets)
123.	Certified copy of Letter No.20196/R3-3/2015-1, dated.21.01.2016 from Shri M. Girija Shankar, Secretary (Industries & Commerce) Mines & Geology to DGP, AP with request to co-operate in controlling the illegal mining activities in certain areas of Piduguralla and Dachepalli Mandal in Guntur regarding the PIL No.228 of 2015.(01 sheets)
124.	Certified copy of Letter No.20196/R3-3/2015-1, dated.21.01.2016 from Shri M.Girija Shankar, Secretary (Industries & Commerce) Mines & Geology to Collector, SP Guntur with request to co-operate in controlling the illegal mining activities in certain areas of Piduguralla and Dachepalli Mandal in Guntur regarding the PIL No.228 of 2015. (02 sheets)
125.	Original Letter No.20196/R3-3/2015-1, dated.21.01.2016 from Shri M. Girija Shankar, Secretary (Industries & Commerce) Mines & Geology to ADM & Joint Collector, Guntur with request to co-operate in control the illegal mining activities in certain areas of Piduguralla and Dachepalli Mandal in Guntur regarding the PIL No.228 of 2015.(01 sheets)
126.	Original Proceeding No.3235/PIL/2015 dated.24.01.2016 of District Collector, Guntur regarding the constitution of Divisional, Mandal and Village level teams to control illicit quarrying and transportation of lime stone to prevent the leakage of mineral revenue to State Exchequer. (02 sheets)
127.	Original joint inspection report dated.27.01.2016 of Revenue, Police & Mining officials of Divisional level team in Nadikudi and Alugumallipadu villages of Dachepalli Mandal. (03 sheets)
128.	Original joint inspection report dated.27.01.2016 of Revenue, Police & Mining officials of Divisional level team in Konanki and villages of Piduguralla Mandal. (03 sheets)
129.	Certified copy of letter no.1184/Q/2013, dated.28.01.2016 of Shri M. Sudhakar, DDMG, Guntur to Director of Mines & Geology, Hyderabad regarding action taken report in PIL No.228 of 2015. (02 sheets)
130.	Certified copy of letter No.20196/R3-3/2015, dated.30.01.2016 of Shri M. Girija Shankar, Director of Mines & Geology, Hyderabad to the Govt. Pleader, Industries, High Court, Hyderabad regarding submission to be made before the Hon'ble High Court in PIL No.228 of 2015. (04 sheets)
131.	Certified copy of the order of Hon'ble High Court dated.28.03.2016 in PIL 228 of 2015. (02 sheets)
132.	Certified copy of report C.No1015/2015/B1/39, dated.27.05.2016 by Director, Lokayukta to the Registrar, Lokayukta regarding allegations of inaction connivance etc., against the officials of Mines and Geology, Revenue and Police Department of Guntur district.(06 sheets)
133.	Original letter dated.09.03.2016 of Sh. V V Ravi Teja, Surveyor, O/o ADM&G, Guntur – II, Dachepalli (HQ) regarding details of Pit measurements and quantities of excavations noticed in Konanki, Piduguralla Mandal and Nadikudi, Kesanupalli of Dachepalli Mandal, Guntur Dist. (18 sheets)

134.	Original Letter No.1184/Q/2013, dated.24.06.2016 of Sh. M Sudhakar, DDM&G, Guntur to Director of Mines & Geology Hyderabad with request for establishment of check post and erection of fencing around illegal mining limestone areas in Konanki village of Piduguralla Mandal. (01 sheets)
135.	Certified copy letter dated.02.07.2016 of Sh. Kante Lal Dande, District Collector, Guntur to Revenue Divisional officer Gurazala, Asst Director Mines and Geology, Dachepalli & Tahsildars of Dachepalli and Piduguralla for detailed report on the complaint No.1015/2015/B1 by Sh. A Hanimi Reddy of Guntur District to Lokayukta. (01 sheet)
136.	Certified copy of Ltr. No.8673/P/2016, dtd.12.07.2016 of Director of Mines and Geology to the Secretary, Mines and Geology submitting proposal for reservation of limestone bearing area of 95 Acres in Konanki village of Piduguralla Mandal in favour of M/s APMDC (01 sheet)
137.	Certified copy of Ltr. No.8673/P/2016, dtd.12.07.2016 of Director of Mines and Geology to the Vice Chairman & Managing Director, APMDC permission to obtain temporary permits in favour of M/s APMDC in Konanki village of Piduguralla Mandal. (01 sheets)
138.	Certified copy of GO Ms No.124, Dated.07.09.2016, Industries and Commerce Department regarding the reserving of area over an extent of 95 acres in survey No.690, 691, 692 of Konanki village Piduguralla Mandal, Guntur in favour of APMDC. (01 sheets)
139.	Certified copy of Ltr. file in RC No.2149/2015-E4, dated.28.07.2018 of District Collector, Guntur instruction to constitution at divisional level, Mandal and village level for control of illicit quarrying. (01 sheets)
140.	Original Memo No.1184/E/2013, dated.27.07.2018 of DDM&G, Guntur regarding the constitution of 04 Teams to estimate the quantity of illegal excavation of lime stone in the areas of Piduguralla and Dachepalli Mandal. (01 sheets)
141.	Receipt Memo dated.08.04.2021 for the documents received from Shri T. Raja Sekhar.
142.	Original appraisal report No.01/Vg/2011-12, dated. 22.02.2012 of ADM&G, Vigilance, Guntur to Director of Mines and Geology, Hyderabad regarding the extraction & transportation of limestone & mosaic chips in Konanki (V) of Piduguralla (M) and Kubudpuram (V) Rajupalem (M) of Guntur. (02 sheets)
143.	Original appraisal report No.01/Vg/2011-12, dated.23.01.2013 of ADM&G, Vigilance, Guntur to Director of Mines and Geology, Hyderabad regarding the extraction & transportation of limestone & mosaic chips in Konanki (V) of Piduguralla (M) and Kubadpuram (V) Rajupalem (M) of Guntur requesting to take necessary action. (02 sheets)
144.	Original Alert Note dated.31.12.2014 of ADM&G, Vigilance, Guntur to Director of mines and Geology, Hyderabad regarding the extraction & transportation of limestone & mosaic chips in Konanki (V) of Piduguralla (M), Kubadpuram (V) Rajupalem (M), Nadikudi and Kesanupalli (V) of Dachepalli (M) of Guntur. (03 sheets)
145.	Certified copy of Lr. No.442/Vg/2015, dated.18.09.2015 of Shri G. Papa Rao ADMG (Vig), Guntur to DDMG, Guntur regarding submission of interim report with respect to the PIL No.228 of 2015 along with enclosures. (05 sheets)
146.	Certified copy of Memo No.1184/Q/2013, dated.06.01.2016 of DDMG, Guntur to ADMG, Guntur to keep constant vigil to curb illegal quarrying operations in Konanki Piduguralla, Rajupalem and Nadikudi village with immediate effect until further orders. (01 sheets)
147.	Certified copy of Memo No.1620/LC/2015/1, dated.12.09.2015 of DDMG, Guntur regarding constitution of Mobile teams for curbing of illegal quarrying operations in Konanki Piduguralla, Rajupalem and Nadikudi village. (02 sheets)
148.	Certified copy of DDMG Memo No.1184/Q/2013, dated.23.01.2016 regarding allotment of the area to the office of ADMG (Vig), Guntur and RMS of DDMG, Guntur for curbing of illegal quarrying operations in

	Konanki Piduguralla, and Nadikudi village. (02 sheets).
149.	Certified copy of complaint dated.05.08.2015 of Jangakrishna Murthy Ex. MLA, Gurazala constituency. (03 sheets)
150.	Original ADMG Dachepalli letter No.3235/PIL/2015, dated.08.07.2016 regarding reserving the area in favour of APMDC & issue of temporary permits. (01 sheets)
151.	Original DDMG, Guntur letter No.3627/Vg/2015 dated.06.10.2015 to DM&G, Hyderabad regarding submission of reports on the complaint given by Shri Jangakrishna Murthy Ex. MLA, Gurazala constituency. (02 sheets)
152.	Receipt Memo dated.27.04.2021 for the documents received from Shri T.Rajasekhar, DDM&G (Nodal Officer), Kurnool Camp at Sattenapalli.
153.	Certified copy of order dated.08.06.2016 on complaint No.1015/2015/B1 of AP Lokayukta (01 Sheet)
154.	Certified copy of common order dated.02.07.2017 of complaint No.1015/2015/B1 & 4191/2016/B1 of AP Lokayukta (03 Sheets)
155.	Certified copy of letter dated.10.01.2017 of DMG, Ibrahimpatnam regarding OA.No.228 of 2016. (14 Sheets)
156.	Certified copy of NGT, Chennai order dated.03.03.2017-regarding OA No.228 of 2016. (03 Sheets)
157.	Receipt Memo dated. 22.04.2021for the documents received from Shri T Rajasekhar, DDM&G
158.	Certified copy of Complaint made by N.Singaraiah and others to the DM&G, Hyderabad along with photographs (12 Sheets)
159.	Original letter dated.01.03.2018 of ADM&G, Dachepalli to N Singaraiah and others (02 Sheets)
160.	Original memo dated.09.03.2016 of SDPO, Gurazala (01 Sheets)
161.	Certified copy of letter dated.14.06.2016 of ADM&G, Dachepalli to N Singaraiah and others (01 Sheets)
162.	Original complaint dated.10.02.2015 made by Sh.Mustafa Mohammed, the then MLA Guntur to District Collector, Guntur (02 Sheets)
163.	Original letter dated.26.02.2015 of ADM&G, Dachepalli to District Collector, Guntur (04 Sheets)
164.	Certified copy of complaint dated.05.08.2015 made by Sh. Janga Krishna Murthy, Ex MLC, Guntur to DM&G, Hyderabad (03 Sheets)
165.	Original letter dated.15.09.2015 of ADM&G(Vig), Guntur to DDM&G, Guntur by enclosing the joint inspection report (04 Sheets)
166.	Certified copy of complaint dated.09.11.2016 made by Sh. T.G.V Krishna Reddy Ex MLC to Chief Secretary to Govt. of Andhra Pradesh along with enclosure (13 Sheets)
167.	Original letter dated.12.09.2017 of ADM&G, Dachepalli to DM&G, Vijayawada. (04 Sheets)
168.	Certified copy of letter dated.21.02.2018 of District Collector Guntur by enclosing the complaint made by Momin Saidalli. (06 Sheets)
169.	Original letter dated.03.11.2018 of DDM&G, Guntur to the District Collector, Guntur enclosing report on the AP Human Right Commission case No.4957/2017. (07 Sheets)
170.	Original complaint dated.28.09.2018 of Dr. Uma Reddy Venkateswarlu, leader of opposition, AP Legislative council to DMG Vijayawada along with enclosures (09 Sheets)
171.	Original complaint dated.14.12.2018 of Dr. P Krishnaiah, IAS, Retd. to DM&G Vijayawada along with enclosures (03 Sheets)
172.	Original letter dated.10.12.2018 of Director of Ministry of Mines, Govt. of India, New Delhi to DM&G, Vijayawada by enclosing the complaint of Sh. Vijaya Sai Reddy, Rajya Sabha, MP along with enclosures (13 Sheets)
173.	Certified copy of complaint dated.19.11.2018 made by Sh. Kasu Mahesh Reddy, YSRCP In-charge, Gurazala, Constituency to the District Collector, Guntur (02 Sheets)
174.	Certified copy of letter dated.10.10.2018 of DM&G, Ibrahimpatnam to Superintendent of Police, Guntur (01 Sheets)
175.	Certified copy of letter dated.10.10.2018 of DM&G, Ibrahimpatnam to

	Collector, Guntur (01 Sheets)
176.	Certified copy of the complaint dated.17.03.2015 of A Hanimi Reddy to Lokayukta. (05 Sheets)
177.	Certified copy of letter dated.27.04.2015 of DDM&G, Guntur to DM&G, Vijayawada (03 Sheets)
178.	Original letter dated.26.06.2015 of DDM&G, Guntur to DM&G, Hyderabad (05 Sheets)
179.	Certified copy of letter dated.04.07.2015 of DM&G, Hyderabad to Registrar, Institution of Lokayukta (07 Sheets)
180.	Certified copy of memo dated.12.01.2017 of DM&G, Ibrahimpatnam by enclosing the complaint No.4101/2016/B1 of TGV Krishna Reddy to the Lokayukta (07 Sheets)
181.	Original letter dated.14.03.2017 of ADM&G Dachepalli to DM&G, Vijayawada (02 Sheets)
182.	Certified copy of OA No.228 of 2016 filed by TGV Krishna Reddy before NGT, Chennai (09 Sheets)
183.	Certified NGT order dated.29.01.2020 (02 Sheets)
184.	Certified copy of complaint dated.04.01.2016 made by V Rajagopal Reddy and P Preeti Reddy to the Chief Secretary, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh (02 Sheets)
185.	Certified copy of complaint dated.13.01.2016 made by V Rajagopal Reddy and P Preeti Reddy to the Chief Secretary, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh (01 Sheets)
186.	Certified copy of complaint dated.05.03.2017 made by V Rajagopal Reddy and P Preeti Reddy to the Hon'ble CM of Andhra Pradesh (01 Sheets)
187.	Certified copy of complaint dated.16.07.2017 made by V Rajagopal Reddy and P Preeti Reddy to the Hon'ble CM of Andhra Pradesh (01 Sheets)
188.	Receipt Memo dated.21.04.2021 for the documents received from Shri T. Raja Sekhar.
189.	Certified copy of Joint Inspection Report of Divisional level team dated.27.01.2016 for Konanki, Nadikudi and Kesanupalli. (04 sheets)
190.	Certified copy of Joint Inspection Report of Divisional level team dated.23.07.2016 for Konanki, Nadikudi and Kesanupalli. (02 sheets)
191.	Original Joint Inspection Report of Divisional level team dated.01.12.2016 for Konanki, Nadikudi and Kesanupalli. (02 sheets)
192.	Original Inspection Report of Mandal level team dated.25.02.2017 for Konanki. (01 sheets)
193.	Original Weekly Inspection Report of Mandal level team for the period from 26.01.2016 to 03.04.2016 & 09.12.2016 for Nadikudi & Kesanupalli. (11 sheets)
194.	Original Inspection Report of Village level team dated.25.02.2017 for Konanki. (01 sheets)
195.	Original Weekly Inspection Report of Village level team for the period from 26.01.2016 to 03.04.2016 & 06.12.2016 for Nadikudi & Kesanupalli. (11 sheets)
196.	Certified copy of report dated.01.08.2016 of Shri Phaninder Babu, the then Tahsildar, Piduguralla submitted to RDO, Gurazala regarding identification of person responsible for illegal quarrying. (02 sheets)
197.	Original report dated.01.08.2016 of Shri Dattatray Sarma, Tahsildar, Dachepalli submitted to RDO, Gurazala regarding identification of person responsible for illegal quarrying. (02 sheets)
198.	Receipt Memo dated.20.04.2021 for the documents received from Shri TGV Krishna Reddy.
199.	Certified copy of complaint dated.07.09.2016 filed by Shri TGV Krishna Reddy, addressed to Hon'ble Union Home Minister, GOI, New Delhi against Shri Y. Srinivasa Rao, MLA, Gurazala. (05 sheets)
200.	Certified copy of complaint dated.09.11.2016 filed by Shri TGV Krishna Reddy, addressed to Shri N. Sambasiva Rao, DGP, AP against Shri Y. Srinivasa Rao, MLA, Gurazala. (05 sheets)
201.	Certified copy of complaint dated 02.11.2018 filed by Shri TGV Krishna

	Reddy, addressed to Shri Kona Sasidhar, Collector & District Magistrate against illegal use of Explosive for conducting illicit quarrying of Mosaic chips. (12 sheets)
202.	Certified copy of RTI dated.30.12.2019 filed by Shri TGV Krishna Reddy, addressed to PIO, SP, Rural, Guntur (Rural) seeking information under RTI regarding illegal excavation of white limestone of Konanki, Kesanupalli & Nadikudi (V), Guntur. (11 sheets)
203.	Certified copy of letter dated.18.02.2020 in reference to RTI dated 02.01.2020 filed by Shri TGV Krishna Reddy, by Collector, Guntur seeking information regarding illegal explosive & excavation of white limestone of Konanki, Kesanupalli & Nadikudi (V), Guntur. (07 sheets)
204.	Certified copy of Letter dated.23.02.2017 from Collector, Guntur in response to RTI on PIL No.228 enclosing letter dated.09.02.2017 addressed to Principal Secretary, Mines, A.P. (03 sheets)
205.	Certified copy of Interim order on PIL No.170/2016 dated.21.07.2018 (02 sheets)
206.	Certified copy of demand notice dated.06.09.2019 issued to Shri V. Bhavani Sankar S/o Hanumanta Rao, Flat No.303, Samudhura Pride, Doctor Colony, Saroor Nagar, Hyderabad. (03 sheets)
207.	Certified copy of Order of High court dated.09.09.2019 on PIL No.170/2016. (03 sheets)
208.	Certified copy of order of NGT, Chennai dated.07.10.2016 on PIL No.170/2016. (03 sheets)
209.	Joint Survey Report in the Nadikudi Village, Dachepalli Mandal and the survey was done in between 29.07.2018 to 02.08.2018
210.	Joint Survey Report in the Kesanupalli Village, Dachepalli Mandal and the survey was done in between 29.07.2018 to 02.08.2018
211.	Joint Survey Report in the Konanki Village, Piduguralla Mandal Headed by Shri T Kishore (AG) and the survey was done in between 29.07.2018 to 02.08.2018
212.	Joint Survey Report in the Konanki Village, Piduguralla Mandal Headed by Smt. V. Nagini (AG) and the survey was done in between 29.07.2018 to 02.08.2018
213.	Original letter dated.26.10.2021 of Shri A.John, ADM&G, Dachepalli in respect of survey by mining department conducted in 2018 at Sy. No.710 to 716, 717 & 718 and 66/2B of Nadikudi Village, Dachepalli Mandal.
214.	Copy of letter dated.27.10.2021 of M/s. Andhra Cements Ltd, Dachepalli Mandal, Guntur District to the Inspector of Police, CBI Camp office, Sattenapalli, Guntur District(96 sheets)
215.	Copy of letter dated.28.09.2021 of M/s. Andhra Cements Ltd, Dachepalli Mandal, Guntur District to the Inspector of Police, CBI Camp office, Sattenapalli, Guntur District, by enclosing the complaints given against the illegal mining in between 2013 to 2020 and land documents(13 sheets)
216.	Receipt Memo dated.14.04.2021 for the documents received from Shri T.Narayana Sharma, Jaya Micro Minerals, Kotanemalipuri, Rajupalem Mandal, Guntur District
217.	Self-attested photo copy of Joint representation given on the letter head of Andhra Pradesh Brahmana Seva Sangh Samakhya (APBSSS) to Sri Nara Chandra Babu Naidu, the then Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh dated.10.11.2015 with regard to save Sri T Narayana Sharma, the then organizing Secretary of Samakhya from the harassment of Sri Yarapathenini Srinivasa Rao along with enclosures (04 Sheets)
218.	Self-attested photo copy of complaint made by Sri T Narayana Sharma, Piduguralla brother of the Pattadar along with the other 05 pattadars of the registered lands of Kesanupalli & encls. (02 Sheets)
219.	Self-attested photo copy of letter No.3505/VG/2012 dated.01.03.2016 from the office of Sri B Jagannadha Rao, Asst. Director, M&G, Guntur II, Dachepalli (HQ) Guntur District, addressed to T Narayana Sharma & 05 others (02 Sheets)
220.	Self-attested photo copy of letter C.No.1015/2015/B1/39, dt.27.05.2016 addressed to the Registrar, I/o Lokayukta, Hyderabad

	by Sri K. Narasimha Reddy, Director (Investigation), I/o. Lokayukta Hyderabad with regard to complaint with allegations of inaction connivance etc against the officials of Mining & Geology, Police and Revenue Department of Guntur District (11 Sheets)
221.	Self-attested photo copy of screen shots mentioned as AP CM connect, with regard to opinion on functioning of Andhra Pradesh Government, the uploaded content on 18.04.2017 by Sri T Narayana Sharma through mobile No.9440652626 with regard to high handed occupancy of his family members patta land at Kesanupalli and conducting illegal mining etc (05 Sheets)
222.	Self-attested photo copy of the letter addressed to the then Hon'ble Union Minister for Labour & Employment, Government of India by T Narayana Sharma with regard to illegal mining. Harassment from the local political leader and officials and copy of letter addressed by Sri Bandaru Dattattreya to Sri Rajnath Singh, Hon'ble Minister of Home Affairs, Government of India, North block, New Delhi. (02 Sheets)
223.	Self-attested photo copy of complaint dated.06.05.2017 given by T Narayana Sharma addressed to the then Director of Mines & Geology, Government of Andhra Pradesh with regard to illegal mining in the patta lands of his family members at Survey No.336/5, Kesanupalli and encls. (04 Sheets)
224.	Self-attested photo copy of criminal Petition No.7159/2017 of the High Court of Judicature at Hyderabad for the State of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh dated.10.08.2077 and its court order dated.21.08.2017. (14 Sheets)
225.	Self-attested photo copy of complaint dated.07.04.2017 addressed to Principal Secretary to CM of Andhra Pradesh by T Narayana Sharma with regard to illegal mining in Kesanupalli and at Survey No.691 of Konanki Village by local political leaders of ruling party & letter No.3491//Praja Vani/2012 dated.05.08.2017 addressed to the District Collector, Guntur District by the ADM&G Dachepalli. (04 Sheets)
226.	Self-attested copy of letter C No.1339/C-43/CID/PCR/2018, dated.07.08.2018 from the office of the Addl Dir Genl of Police Crime Investigation Department, Andhra Pradesh and addressed to T Narayana Sharma with regard to enquiry against Yarapathenini Srinivasa Rao, MLA, Gurazala for his illegal mining in his private lands by occupying high handedly since 2014, life attempts etc (02 Sheets)
227.	Self-attested copy of receipt of Enforcement Directorate Ministry of Home affairs vide Regd No.002/0189419639/2018, dated.10.04.2018 to the complaint dated.02.04.2018 made by Sri T Narayana Sharma addressed to Joint Director (Admn), Enforcement Directorate, New Delhi with regard to harassment by ruling Telugu Desam party MLA Sri Yarapathenini Srinivasa Rao (04 Sheets)
228.	Receipt Memo dated.14.04.2021 for the documents received from Shri Racheti Jacob
229.	Self-certified copy of lease deed dated.10.01.2013 for the 1st renewal of Quarry lease for Mosaic chips over an extent of 3.00 Acres in Sy. No.395/3 of Kubadpuram (V), Rajupalem Mandal, Guntur for a period of 10 years in favour of Smt. R. Prakash Rani. (19 sheets)
230.	Self-certified copy of Quarry lease dated.06.03.2013 for Mosaic chips over an extent of 4.40 Acres in Sy. No.358/48A of Kotanemalipuri (V), Rajupalem Mandal, Guntur for a period of 10 years in favour of M/s Sri Sai Krishna Minerals. Mg. Partner Sri R. Jacob, Kondamodu. (16 sheets)
231.	Self-certified copies of complaints to the SC/ST Commission, New Delhi, letters dated.08.06.2016 & 27.07.2016 received and referred by the Hon'ble Commission for the status report from the district authorities and complaint dated.16.06.2017 to Collector, Guntur. (07 sheets)
232.	Self-certified copy of complaint dated.27.08.2018 made to Shri Kona Sasidhar, Collector, Guntur about past harassment on the part of Shri Yarapathenini Srinivas Rao, the then MLA & police department and filing of false case by Shri B. Jagannadha Rao, then ADMG, Dachepalli.

	(02 sheets)
233.	Receipt Memo dated.02.11.2021 for the documents taken over from Shri T. Raja Sekhar, DDMG.
234.	Certified copy of demand notice No.3152/I/2010 dated.17.07.2010 issued to M/s Andhra Cements Ltd., for illegal quarrying of limestone in Sy. No.17/5, 6, 7 of Nadikudi (V) (1 sheet)
235.	Certified copy of demand notice No.4864/M/2000, dated.17.07.2010 issued to M/s Andhra Cements Ltd. for illegal quarrying of limestone in Sy. No.710 to 716 of Nadikudi (V) (1 sheet)
236.	Letter dated.24.07.2021 from Shri K. Subrahmanyeswara Rao, DDMG, Guntur. (15 sheets)

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ANNEXURE-IV

List of Witnesses

Sr. No	Name Designation and Address of witness
36.	Shri T. Rajasekhar, S/o Shri T. M. Rayudu, Age:-48 years, Deputy Director Mines & Geology, Kurnool, A.P. Resi:-.Flat No.406, Nayonika Apartments, Road No.5, Venkataramana Colony, Kurnool & G-2, Anu Enclave, Srihari Nagar, Nellore, AP. Permanent Address - MIG 307, AP Housing Board Colony Anantapuram, AP. (Mobile Phone-9440817910) (14 sheets)
37.	Shri Thelukutla Gopala Venkata Krishna Reddy S/o (Late) Pulla Reddy, Age:79 years (D.O.B. 28.02.1942) Social Activist, R/o Gadevaripalli (V &P), Karempudi (M), Guntur; Office cum Resi- 6-3-609/ 190 Anand Nagar Colony, Khraitabad, Hyderabad – 500004; Mobile phone No-9849300147.(2 Sheets)
38.	Smt Vasikarla Nagini, W/o Gunti Anil Babu, Age:45 years Desi:- the then Asst. Geologist, O/o ADM&G (Vig.), Guntur. Presently working as Asst Director Mines & Geology, Vijayawada R/o- Flat No.204, HRT Srisai Apartment, Labbipet Vijayawada, Permanent address - Flat No.303, Yaganti Sikhara Apartments, Opp Power office lane, Gujjanagundla, Guntur Mobile Phone No- 9100688838.(5 Sheets)
39.	Shri Talluri Kishore Babu, S/o Shri T. Samson, Age:51 years, Desi:- Assistant Geologist, O/o ADM&G, Dachepalli, Dachepalli Mandal, Guntur, R/o - Flat A-5, Trimala Towers, Chandermurli Nagar, 6th Lane, Guntur, Permanent Add:- Same, Mobile Phone No-8008999155 Aadhar No.863813815119. (2 Sheets)
40.	Shri Mogili Vishnu Vardhana Rao, S/o Late Adisheshu, Age:57 years, Desi:- Assistant Geologist, O/o DD Mines & Geology, Ongole. Resi:- Flat No.101, Gayatri Towers, 3rd lane Chaitanya Puri, Saibaba Temple Road, Koritipadu, Guntur; Permanent Add:- Machvaram Village, Nagulauppalapadu Mandal, Prakasam District; Mobile No-9100688831. (6 Sheets)
41.	Shri Kota Joseph, S/o Shri Kota Sesaiah, 28 yrs., (DoB-13.01.1993), Occ:- worked as clerk for Shri Anjibabu, R/o SC Colony, Kondamodu, Rajupalem Mandal, Guntur, Permanent Add:- Same, Dist. Ph.9701236309. (2 Sheets)
42.	Shri Deepangi Suresh Babu, S/o Shri Kamalakara Rao, 35 yrs., (DoB-10.05.1986), Occ:- worked as commission agent for doing Borewell at Guntur District, R/o 2-61, SC Colony, Kondamodu, Rajupalem Mandal, Guntur, Permanent Add:- Same, Dist. Ph.9963289030. (2 Sheets)
43.	Shri Makkena Srinivas Rao, S/o Late Hussain, 39 yrs., (DoB-01.06.1982), Occ:- Supervisor, M/s Vamisi Krishna Industries, Piduguralla, Opp. MadinaKanta, Guntur Road, Piduguralla. R/o 17-67/3, Kondamodu, Piduguralla Mandal, Guntur, Permanent Add:- Same, Dist. Ph.9154056598. (2 Sheets)
44.	Shri Tammisetty Venkata Kotaiah, S/o Venkateswarlu, Age: -66 years, Prof: - labour in limestone quarry at Nadikudi; R/o D.No-10-753, Anjanapuram, Narayana Puram, Nadikudi, Guntur- 522414, Mobile Phone No.9063617784, Aadhar No.695215962448 (2 Sheets)
45.	Shri Battula Hanumantha Rao, S/o Battula Peda Narasimha Rao, 37 years, Labour in quarry, resident of Vaddera Bazar Colony, near Ramalayam Dachepalli Mandal, Guntur District. 9177163880. (1 Sheet)
46.	Shri Gunja Kondulu, S/o Shri Yellamanda, 50 years, Labour in quarry, R/o:- RamalayamVeedhi, Vaddera Bazar, Dachepalli (M), Guntur District. (Mob.) 7989610501. (1 Sheet)
47.	Shri Varikuppala Prakash, S/o Shri Venkakaiah, 41 years, Labour in quarry, R/o:- D No–2-22, Kesanupalli, Dachepalli (M), Guntur District. (Mob.) 6309876023. (1 Sheet)
48.	Shri Peetla Laxmi Narayana, S/o Shri Chinna Kotaiah, 48 years, Labour in quarry, R/o: - D.No. 9-1, ST Colony, Kesanupalli (V), Dachepalli (M),

	Guntur District. (Mob.) 8897829887. (1 Sheet)
49.	Shri Pothuraju Venugopal, S/o Late P. Narasimhulu, Age:44 years (D.O.B. 18.06.1976), Desi:- then Royalty Inspector, O/o Assistant Director, Mines & Geology, Dachepalli, presently posted ADMG, Banaganapalli, Kurnool, A.P. Resi:- H.No.4/357, Ravindra Nagar, Kadapa. Permanent Add: - Same; Mobile Phone No-9100688846. (1 Sheet)
50.	Shri Shaik Shareef, S/o Late Shaik Valisaheb, Age:41 years, Desi: - then Royalty Inspector, O/o Assistant Director, Mines & Geology, Dachepalli, presently posted as Royalty Inspector, Markapur, Prakasam, A.P. Resi:- H.No.4-7-282, Brahmanapalli Road, Pulivendla, Kadapa. Permanent Add:- Same; Mobile Phone No-8897027702. (1 Sheet)
51.	Shri Popuri Tirupati Rao, S/o Shri Dabbaiah, Age:47 years (D.O.B. 10.08.1974), Desi:- Then Technical Assistant, O/o Assistant Director, Mines & Geology, Dachepalli; Presently posted ADMG, Guntur. Resi:- Flat No.201, Sai Ganesh Tower, Rami Reddy Nagar, Near Iskon Temple, Reddy College Road, Guntur. Permanent Add:- Same; Mobile Phone No-9652555565. (2 Sheets)
52.	Shri Chimata Anjaneyulu, S/o Shri VeerababuChimata, Age:34 years Desi:- then Royalty Inspector, O/o ADM&G (Vig), Guntur; Presently posted at O/o ADM&G, RVS, Ongole, R/o – D.No.6-166, Sri Nagar, 2nd Lane, Ongole Town, Prakasham, A.P. Permanent Add:- D. No.8-96, Venigandla Village, Pedakakani Mandal, Guntur, Mobile Phone No-9100685557 (2 Sheets)
53.	Shri Buda Srinivasa Rao, S/o Shri Jayaramaiah, Age:47 years (D.O.B. 16.07.1974), Desi:- Royalty Inspector, O/o ADM&G, Ongole; then Technical Assistant, O/o Assistant Director, Mines & Geology, Dachepalli; Resi:- Flat No.302, Sai Siri Fortune Apartments, Gorantla, Guntur. Permanent Add:- Same; Mobile Phone No-9642206269. (1 Sheet)
54.	Shri Dodda Vigneswara Reddy, S/o Shri Dibba Reddy, 46 years, Designation–Home Guard (No–224), Guntur Rural; R/o Door No.7-527, Saujanya Hospital Back Side, Piduguralla, Guntur. Permanent Address – D.No–3-84, Dechavaram, Nekarakallu (M), Guntur. Phone No.9963893500. (1 Sheet)
55.	Shri Nadikudi Ramanjaneyulu, S/o Shri Kotaiah, 43 years, Desi–Home Guard (No–1118), Guntur Rural; R/o Door No.2-96, Janpadu (V), Piduguralla, Guntur. Permanent Address– Same. Phone No.9949283614. (1 Sheet)
56.	Shri Kunta Sambasiva Rao, S/o Shri Sambaiah, 39 years, Designation – Home Guard (No– 936), Guntur Rural, R/o Door No.1-5, Near Panchayat Office, Tekelapadu, Dachepalli, Guntur. Phone No.9849844107; Permanent Address – Same. (1 Sheet)
57.	Shri Sankuri Madhu, S/o Shri Sitarammaiah, Age:- 37 years, Desi– Ex. Home Guard (No–1247), Guntur Rural, R/o Door No.15-1-119, Nehru Nagar, 2nd lane, Macherla, Guntur. Phone No.9550867727; Permanent Address – Same. (1 Sheet)
58.	Shri K. Venkata Siva Reddy, S/o Late Karanati Nagi Reddy, Age:55 years, Desi:- Assistant Mining Officer, O/o DMG, Ibrahimpatnam. R/o- Flat No.301, Sujana Heights, Guntpalli (V), Ibrahimpatnam, Permanent address - H.No.4-51-1, New Postal Colony, Kurnool, A.P. Mobile Phone No- 8008300655. (3 Sheets)
59.	Shri A. John, S/o Late A. Chander Sekhar, Age:59 years Desi:- Assistant Director, Mines & Geology, Dachepalli. Resi:- Flat No.101, Moksha Sai Apartment, Srikrishna Colony, Kurnool; Permanent Add:- Same; Mobile Phone No- 9849144887. (2 Sheets)
60.	Smt. Pilli Suneetha, W/o Sri Vijay Kumar, Age:30 years (D.O.B.05.08.1989), Desi:- then Revenue Inspector, O/o Tahsildar, Dachepalli; Presently posted as Deputy Tahsildar, Bellamkonda R/o – D.No.5-73A, Munnangi Village, Kollipara Mandal, Tenali Division, Guntur, A.P. Permanent Add:-Same, Mobile Phone No-9494153508 (3 Sheets)
61.	Shri Guntakala Anka Rao, S/o Shri Anjaneyulu, 33 yrs., Desi:- the then Mandal Revenue Inspector-II, office of the Tahsildar, Dachepalli Mandal, presently working as Deputy Tahsildar, office of the District Manager

	Civil Supplies, Guntur, R/o D. No.666, Epuru Village & Mandal, Guntur, Permanent Add:-Same, Dist. Ph.9966553266 Aadhar No.935614587186. (3 Sheets)
62.	Shri Sudhakar Rao, S/o Late Chanderaiah, Age:55 years, Desi:- Supervisor, O/o DDM&G, Guntur. R/o- Flat No-302, 3rd floor, Nityasrinilayam, JKC College Road, Guntur, Permanent address -007, Ist floor, Aditya Nagar, Children's Park Road, Nellore, A.P. Mobile Phone No-9440521695. (2 Sheets)
63.	Shri K. Subrahmanyeswara Rao, S/o Late Satyam, Age:59 years, Desi:- DDM&G, Guntur. R/o- Flat No-301, My Homes Apartments, 7/2 Chandra Mouli Nagar, Guntur, Permanent address - Same. Mobile Phone No-9100688815. (4 Sheets)
64.	Shri Nalam Singaraiah S/o Shri Bikshapathi, Age-77 years, R/o D.No.9-489, Narayanpuram, Dachepalli (M), Guntur, Permanent Address- Same. M. No. 9246744109. (2 Sheets)
65.	Smt. Racheti Prakash Rani, W/o Shri Racheti Jacob, Age-47 yrs., (DOB-18.08.1975), Occ:- Business (Quarrying of limestone), R/o - D.No 1-77, Kondamodu , Village, Rajupalem Mandal, Guntur. Permanent Add- Same. Mobile no-9399313233. (2 Sheets)
66.	Shri Annapureddy Hanimi Reddy S/o Late Rami Reddy, Age:60 years Ex-Sarpanch, Konanki, Piduguralla; R/o Konanki (V), Piduguralla (M), Guntur; Mobile phone No-7702256659. (1 Sheet)
67.	Shri Thippavajula Prakash S/o Late Lakshmi Narayana, Age-47 years, Occ-Quarry Owner, R/o Flat No.402, Bhavishia Lok Apartments, Tarakrama Nagar, 1st Lane, Guntur; Permanent Address- Same. M. No.9440652636. (1 Sheet)
68.	Sri Kundurthi Gurvachary S/o Late Govindaiah, Age:53 years (D.O.B.24.01.1968), Profession:- Carpenter & Agriculture; R/o - D No.8-564, Billala Maszid Bazar, Piduguralla, Guntur; Permanent Add:- Same Mobile Phone No- 9550022293; Aadhar No.700005692730 (2 Sheets)
69.	Shri Battula Venkateswarlu, S/o Shri Peda Venkaiah, 46 years, Clerk M/s Vaddera Labour Contract Cooperative Society, Narayanpuram; R/o D.No.10-440, Narayanpuram, Nadikudi, Dachepalli; (M. No.9703412035). (2 Sheets)
70.	K. Narsimha Reddy, Director (Inv.) Lokayukta, Hyderabad (Statement not recorded)

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